United States Environmental Protection Agency Region VI POLLUTION REPORT

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From: Steve Mason

Subject: UNT Research Lab

UNT Research Lab

3940 North Elm, Denton, TX

POLREP No.: 1 Site #: **Reporting Period:** 03/04/2007 **D.O.** #:

Start Date:3/4/2007Response Authority:CERCLAMob Date:3/4/2007Response Type:EmergencyDemob Date:3/4/2007NPL Status:Non NPL

Completion Date: 3/4/2007 Incident Category: Removal Assessment

CERCLIS ID #: Contract #

RCRIS ID #:

Site Description

University of North Texas houses a research lab on the north end of Denton, for their engineering program. The campus is housed in an old Texas Instruments complex, with one large building and several out buildings.

The campus sits on approximately 30 acres, with the buildings in the middle of the campus.

The residential area where the odors were reported is to the east of the campus. The winds at the time of the report were from the west.

Current Activities

Phone duty received anonymous notification on Sunday, March 4, of a potential release from the University of North Texas Research Lab in Denton, TX.

Caller complained of a "acid" smell in the air, which caused burning of the eyes and lungs.

OSC was dispatched to the area to investigate. A driving survey of the area did not reveal any unusual odors.

Additionally, the guard on-scene of the facility had been on duty all day and had not noticed any odors. Discussions with personnel in the facility also turned up negative.

Planned Removal Actions

None.

Next Steps

No further action is necessary at this time.

Key Issues

None.

Estimated Costs *

	Budgeted	Total To Date	Remaining	% Remaining
Extramural Costs				
Intramural Costs				
Total Site Costs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%

* The above accounting of expenditures is an estimate based on figures known to the OSC at the time this report was written. The OSC does not necessarily receive specific figures on final payments made to any contractor(s). Other financial data which the OSC must rely upon may not be entirely up-to-date. The cost accounting provided in this report does not necessarily represent an exact monetary figure which the government may include in any claim for cost recovery.

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